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IGA-02 DODE-00 /061 W
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R 161400Z JAN 77
FM AMEMBASSY ALGIERS
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5746
AMCONSUL GENOA
INFO AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EWWT, PORG, SWEL, AG, LE
SUBJECT: US SHIP CARRYING WHEAT TO LEBANON

1. EMBASSY RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL JAN 15 FROM LYKES
GENOA AGENT COMPANINI (PHONETIC) REQUESTING ASSISTANCE
RE US VESSEL SHIRLEY LYKES, WHICH CURRENTLY IN ALGIERS.
PHONE CALL WAS SEVERELY GARBLED, BUT WE UNDERSTOOD
COMPANINI TO SAY THAT LYKES HAD URGENTLY BEEN REQUESTED
DIVERT SHIRLEY LYKES CARGO OF 3,500 TONS WHEAT FROM
ALEXANDRIA TO BEIRUT. BELIEVE COMPANINI SAID THIS WOULD
BE FIRST US FLAG VESSEL INTO BEIRUT SINCE CEASEFIRE.
UNDERSTOOD WHEAT OF US ORIGIN BUT CONSIGNED BY WHO OR
UNWRA OR OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION. COMPANINI
REQUESTED EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING OFFLOADING PRIORITY
FOR SHIRLEY LYKES TO FACILITATE ONWARD VOYAGE.

2. EMBASSY COMMERCIAL OFFICER PASSED REQUEST TO ALGERIAN
DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF MERCHANT SHIPPING, AISSA HENNI, WHO
AGREED WITH HUMANITARIAN NATURE REQUEST AND SAID
HE WOULD QTE SEE WHAT I CAN DO UNQTE. IN ALGERIA
THIS IS POSITIVE RESPONSE.
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3. REQUEST AMCONSUL GENOA PASS THIS INFO TO COMPANINI.
WE WILL CONFIRM BY MONDAY WHETHER OR NOT SHIRLEY LYKES
HAS INDEED BEEN GIVEN PRIORITY.

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Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: MARINE TRANSPORTATION, WHEAT, CARGO SHIPS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 16-Jan-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
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Disposition Date: 22 May 2009
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